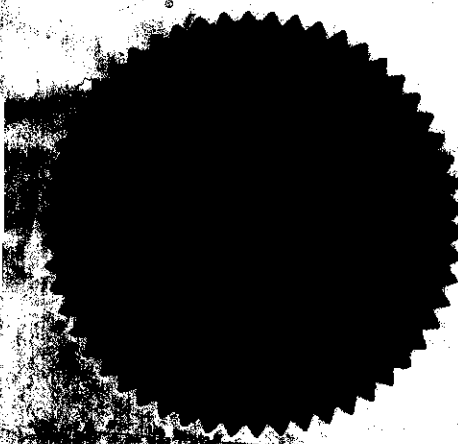


Beaver County, ss:

THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA.



I, Dan H. Stone, — Prothonotary of
the Court of Common Pleas, in and for said County, do by
these presents certify, that on the tenth — day of
September in the year A. D. 1888, personally
came before me Christian Mauch —
a native of Germany — and heretofore a
subject of the Emperor of Germany —

*And having been duly sworn, according to law, made his declaration, stating that it
was bona fide his intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and renouncing and
abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereign-
ty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to
the Emperor of Germany —
whereof he was a former subject.*

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of
the said Court, at Beaver, this tenth — day of September — in the year
A. D. 1888, and of the Independence of the United States the 113.

ATTEST:

Dan H. Stone, Prothonotary.